

HOUSE No. 451

By Mr. Leary of Worcester, petition of James B. Leary and Harriette L. Chandler for legislation to authorize and direct the reinstatement of Mary A. Ryan as a member in service of the teachers' retirement system. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE REINSTATEMENT OF MARY A. RYAN AS A MEMBER IN SERVICE IN THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to
2 the contrary, Mary A. Ryan of the city of Worcester shall be eli-
3 gible to be reinstated as a member in service of the teachers'
4 retirement system as of the effective date of this act; provided,
5 however, that she shall repay to the teachers' retirement system an
6 amount equal to the total amount of any retirement allowance
7 received by her together with regular interest thereon, such repay-
8 ment to be made in one sum or in installments as the teachers'
9 retirement board shall prescribe. Upon completion of such repay-
10 ment, said Mary A. Ryan shall be entitled to creditable service for
11 all periods of service for which deductions were made from her
12 regular compensation.

13 Upon reinstatement as a member in service of the teachers'
14 retirement system, said Mary A. Ryan shall be eligible, upon the
15 payment of regular deductions together with interest thereon, to
16 establish creditable service with said system for the period of
17 service during which she previously waived her retirement
18 allowance. Such payment shall be made in one sum.

19 In the event said Mary A. Ryan shall again retire before the
20 completion of made payments, she shall, in addition to credit for
21 her actual membership service rendered since the date of her rein-
22 statement hereunder, be entitled to credit for the portion of her

23 previous creditable service which the total of her makeup pay-
24 ments actually made, together with regular interest thereon to the
25 date such retirement becomes effective, bears to the total amount
26 of what her makeup payments, together with regular interest
27 thereon to such latter date, would have been had she made pay-
28 ment thereof in one sum on such latter date. Any pension,
29 allowance or other retirement benefit provided hereunder shall be
30 exclusive of, and in the alternative to, any other pension,
31 allowance or other retirement benefit, including any provided for
32 under any other general or special law.